CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY OF MISSOURI

Proudly Presents

Is Your Child A Drama Queen? A Comedian in Training? A Performer in Need of An Audience?

Creative Play Workshop
for Adoptive and Foster Families With Metro Theater Company

Tuesday, October 6 6:30-8:00 pm
(for families with kids 11—15 years)

CHS has partnered with Metro Theater Company, St. Louis' premiere theater for young people and families, to offer families an opportunity to talk and explore creatively together. The workshop is specifically designed to give families a chance to enjoy some fun in an environment that accepts and celebrates the unique stories of each of our children. The session will begin with an art activity, then move on to fun, non-competitive games that everyone can play. Metro artists will then introduce a story that the group will explore through theater and improvisation. Activities are structured so everyone, can participate —there's no way to do it "wrong"! This is a great way to get to know other families formed through foster care and adoption. No more than 2 children per adult recommended.

Drama Workshop for Adopted and Foster Children

Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:00 pm
October 20-November 24, 2009

CHS, with the help of Metro Theater Company, is also offering a special six-week drama workshop for children ages 11-15.

Studies support theater activity as a powerful intervention strategy to heal past trauma and to foster non-violent behavior in youth. Led by CHS staff and Metro's Teaching Artists, participants in this unique drama experience will explore activities that focus on collaboration, inclusion and building non-verbal communication skills. Through improvisation techniques, students will talk about issues of concern, and help each other strategize solutions to challenges faced by the group.

A fun environment —no experience necessary!

FREE to families thanks to the generous support of the Employee Community Fund of Boeing-St. Louis

Complete the form below and return to: Children's Home Society attn: Sarah 9445 Litzsinger St. Louis, MO 63144

Child's Name: _____ Gender: Male Female

Date of Birth: _____ Grade Entering in the Fall: _____

Parent(s) Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Best Contact Number: _____ Email: _____

Please register my child/my family for the following:

Creative Play Workshop for families Tuesday October 6, 2009 _____

Drama Workshop Tuesdays October 20 to November 24, 2009 _____

CHS staff will contact you when you registration is received. Call Sarah at (314) 968-2350, ext. 235 with questions.